

**AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 6 as follows:

--Above mentioned "the discharge terminal is disposed in a concealed position" means that the discharge terminal of the discharge circuit and the external terminal are not mutually connected in the initial position immediately after the insertion of the external terminal of the mounting part into the inserting part. The connection between the external terminal and the discharge terminal requires rotation of the battery pack from the initial ~~[[portion]]~~ position or sliding thereof in a direction different from the inserting direction. In such a structure, even when a lead wire or the like connected to a large-sized battery or the like is inserted into the inserting part, the lead wire cannot be connected to the discharge terminal. Hence the act of charging from the discharge terminal is prevented to secure safety.--